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§11–1501.

- (a) In this subtitle the following words have the meanings indicated.
- (b) “Business license” means any license issued to an individual under the Business Occupations and Professions Article, the Business Regulation Article, or the Health Occupations Article.
- (c) “Identifying information” includes:
  - (1) Demographic information; and
  - (2) If applicable, student information about:
    - (i) Program sequences taken;
    - (ii) Start and end dates of enrollment;
    - (iii) Program completion status; and
    - (iv) Credentials earned.
- (d) (1) “Industry certificate” means a certificate or license awarded by an industry certifier that prepares an individual to work in a career field.
  - (2) “Industry certificate” does not include a business license or vocational certificate.
- (e) “Industry certifier” means a nationally recognized, third–party entity using predetermined standards for knowledge and skills to teach individuals.
- (f) “Vocational certificate” means a certificate or license awarded by an institution of postsecondary education approved to operate under § 11–202 of this title on completion of a course of study, including credit–bearing and noncredit courses, that prepares an individual to work in a career field.

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